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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

This is submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 30, 2004.

Claims 1-43 are pending in this application and are subject to restriction and/or election requirement. The Office Action stated that Claims 1-43 are generic and directed to the following patentably distinct species of the claimed invention: A, B, J, R¹, R², R³, R⁴ and n, and that Applicants are required under 35 U.S.C. 121 to elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits to which the claims shall be restricted if no generic claim is finally held to be allowable.

Applicants hereby elect an embodiment wherein

 R^1 is H;

 R^2 is H;

 R^3 is *i*-Pr;

R⁴ is 2-Me;

J is

in particular the compound listed at page 66, in line 1 of Table 5. The chemical name of this compound is 2-methyl-*N*-[2-methyl-6-[[(1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]phenyl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-3-pyridinecarboxamide. For this compound A=O, B=O, and n=1. This compound is also listed at page 20, lines 13-14; page 24, lines 17-18; page 176, Index Table

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B, compound B1; page 202, claim 21, lines 27-28 (3rd compound); and page 209, claim 42, lines 24-25 (3rd compound).

Claims readable thereon are Claims 1, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 42 and 43. Should prosecution result in allowing generic coverage of J is a 6-membered heteroaromatic ring, Claims 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 33, 34, 35, 36, and 37 would also be included in such a scope.

Applicants would like to point out that the parent of this application (now U.S. Patent 6,747,047) was not restricted to one of the following inventions: I. Claims 1-21, drawn to a composition and method for controlling arthropods using a compound of formula I; II. Claims 22-43, drawn to a chemical compound. According Applicants respectfully request that the claims from both of these groups be included in this application. Additional searching should not be required if both groups are included. If restriction is maintained, Applicants elect Group II, claims 22-43 drawn to a chemical compound.

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